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It was for the development of the breed. I have the Constitution before me. It is in the statute. The reason for the pari-mutuel betting at the time it was first inaugurated was for the development of the breed. It was an agricultural proposition, and the same thing applies today, 35 years later, or whatever the years would be, but approximately, that it is for the development of the quarter horses and the trotters or pacers. So I don't think we need to discuss at this time, I think it is beside the realm of discussion of talking about any tax on people whether they spend their bread and butter money or whatever they spend. I think this is a proposition here for us to finance and let people who want to finance themselves, and if they want to take the gamble or whatever term you wish to use of only returning 82%, that bettor can make up his mind, if he wants to attend that race meet or if he wants to go to another track, a thoroughbred track, which pays 85¢ of each dollar of his wagered. This is strictly personal operation of how they want to do it and I don't know if any quarter horse race track is going to say 82% retained or 84 or 85. The option is there, and if their competition gets so rough and tough, they will soon be at the 85% returned to the bettor, the same as the thoroughbreds. I hope we do not accept the motion to kill this bill at this time. It is important to a lot of Nebraskans, not only those in Kearney, not only those in Broken Bow, but for some other area in the far out Nebraska where they have had thoroughbred racing and it has been discontinued for several reasons. Maybe it was the quality of the horses that was there, but here in the western part of our state, from the central to the western part, we have 60,000 quarter horses in this state and most of them are west of Highway 81 or 281. This is for the development of the breed and for the showmanship of their horses and I hope this body refuses to indefinitely postpone this bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rasmussen, would you close debate on this matter.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. Chairman, members of the body, I think the Speaker brought up a very good point. It doesn't matter about the breeding of the horses or taxes. It boils right down to is this a good bill or it isn't and everybody on this floor in their own wisdom can make up their mind but this is a bad bill. I ask your support in indefinitely postponing it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: The question is, shall the bill be indefinitely postponed? Record your vote. Please vote. Have you voted? Record. Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body, this is a...

PRESIDENT: For what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: A Call of the House.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is, shall the House go